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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

PEDRO CORTEZ-VELASQUEZ ,

Defendant.

Criminal Case 08cr0795-IEGI N F O R M A T I O NTitle 18, U.S.C., Sec. 1001 -
False Statement to a Federal
Officer

The United States Attorney charges:

On or about February 16, 2008, within the Southern District of California, defendant PEDRO CORTEZ-VELASQUEZ, in a matter within the jurisdiction of the United States Department of Homeland Security, a department and agency of the United States, did knowingly and willfully make false, fictitious and fraudulent statements and representations as to material facts in that he did represent and state to United States Border Patrol Agents that his name was Mariano Morales Guzman as defendant then and there well knew that statement and representation was false, fictitious and fraudulent when made; in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1001.

DATED: March 18, 2008.KAREN P. HEWITT
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